

**RESOLUTION OF THE GOVERNING BODY OF  
THE THREE AFFILIATED TRIBES OF THE  
FORT BERTHOLD INDIAN RESERVATION**

**WHEREAS**, This Nation having accepted the Indian Reorganization Act of June 18, 1934, and the authority under said Act; and

**WHEREAS**, The Constitution of the Three Affiliated Tribes generally authorizes and empowers the Tribal Business Council to engage in activities on behalf of and in the interest of the welfare and benefits of the Tribes and of the enrolled members thereof; and

**WHEREAS**, It would be in the best interest of the Three Affiliated Tribes to have a representative on the Regional Emergency Response Team; and

**WHEREAS**, The Tribes participation on this team will greatly enhance the Tribes capabilities of protecting the health of their Tribal members and the environment in which they live; and

**NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, Martina Oltman has been selected to represent the Three Affiliated Tribes on the Regional Emergency Response Team.

**CERTIFICATION**

I, the undersigned, as Secretary of the Tribal Business Council of the Three Affiliated Tribes of the Fort Berthold Reservation, hereby certify that the Tribal Business Council is composed of 7 members of whom 5 constitutes a quorum, 7 were present at a Special Meeting, thereof duly called, noticed, convened and held on the 25<sup>th</sup> day of September 1996; that the foregoing Resolution was duly adopted at such meeting by the affirmative vote of 7 members, 0 members opposed, 0 members abstained, 0 members not voting and that said Resolution has not been rescinded or amended in any way.

Dated this 25<sup>th</sup> day of September 1996

Daylon Spotted Bear  
Secretary, Tribal Business Council

Attest:



Chairman, Tribal Business Council



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September 25, 1996

In Reply Refer To:

Doug Skie, Director of Emergency Response  
USEPA - Region VIII  
999 18th St. - Suite 500  
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Dear Doug:

Please be informed that the Fort Berthold Three Affiliated Tribes has selected Martina Oltman as the Tribal FEMA (Federal Emergency Response Agency) Program Manager. The TAT is placing great emphasis on the development and implementation of the FEMA program. We have contacted Local, State, County and Federal Emergency Response Coordinators and will continue to coordinator efforts as the program develops.

It is in the Tribes best interest to have representation on the EPA Regional Emergency Response Team. We are requesting that Martina Oltman serve on this team as the TAT's Representative. A copy of the Tribal resolution is enclosed.

If you have any questions or concerns with this request or if we need to be advised of additional action, please contact Kyle Baker, Natural Resource Administrator at (701) 627-3627. The TAT is looking forward to becoming part of the Regional Team.

Sincerely,

Russell Mason Sr.  
Tribal Chairman

Enclosures: [1]

Emergency Response Resolution

*attachment to  
R#96-194-DSB*